

**PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER**  
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Docket No.  
2002.010

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith for filing under 35 U.S.C. 111 and 37 C.F.R. 1.53 is the patent application of:

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For: **Toughness-Optimized Weld Joints and Methods for Producing Said Weld Joints**

Enclosed are:

- Specification including claims
- One (1) sheets of drawings.
- A certified copy of a application.
- Declaration       Signed.       Unsigned. (Includes Power of Attorney)
- Information Disclosure Statement
- Preliminary Amendment
- Assignment and Recordation Cover Sheet
- Other: Return-receipt postcard

**CLAIMS AS FILED**

For	# Filed	# Allowed	# Extra	Rate	Fee
Total Claims	2	- 20 =	0	x \$18.00	\$0.00
Independent Claims	2	- 3 =	0	x \$84.00	\$0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable)		<input type="checkbox"/>			\$0.00
				BASIC FEE	\$750.00
				TOTAL FILING FEE	\$750.00

- A check in the amount of to cover the filing fee is enclosed.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. 05-1328 as described below.
  - Charge the amount of \$750.00 as filing fee.
  - Credit any overpayment.
  - Charge any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17.
  - Charge the issue fee set in 37 C.F.R. 1.18 at the mailing of the Notice of Allowance, Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.311(b).

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